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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**
- Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is *missing*. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue application establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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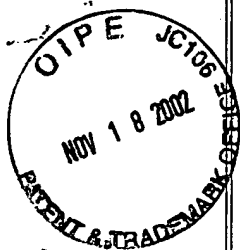
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In re Reissue Application of: )  
U.S. Patent No. 6,036,226 )  
Inventors: Steven J. BROWN, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3619  
Application No.: 10/086,920 ) Examiner: Unknown  
Filed: March 1, 2002 )  
For: INFLATOR CAPABLE OF )  
MODULATION AIR BAG )  
INFLATION RATE IN A VEHICLE )  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE  
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application dated April 17, 2002, Applicants submit herewith: (1) the required surcharge of \$130.00; (2) two executed Reissue Declarations Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.175; (3) executed Consent of Assignee, Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), Offer to Surrender Original Patent and Grant of Power of Attorney document (2 pages); (4) Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) (2 pages) with Declaration in Support of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) with Exhibits (12 pages); (5) the required 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) petition fee of \$130.00; and (6) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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